



## **BEARFACTS 1995 – 2005 District of Columbia [11000]**

The population of District of Columbia in 2005 was 582,049.

### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2005 District of Columbia had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$54,371. This PCPI was 156 percent of the national average, \$34,757. The 2005 PCPI reflected an increase of 7.9 percent from 2004. The 2004-2005 national change was 4.9 percent. In 1995 the PCPI of District of Columbia was \$31,266. The 1995-2005 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 5.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 4.2 percent.

### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2005 District of Columbia had a total personal income (TPI) of \$31,646,846\*. In 1995 the TPI of District of Columbia was \$18,150,647\*. The 2005 TPI reflected an increase of 8.4 percent from 2004. The 2004-2005 national change was 5.9 percent. The 1995-2005 average annual growth rate of TPI was 5.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 5.3 percent.

### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of District of Columbia. In 2005 net earnings accounted for 74.9 percent of TPI (compared with 68.3 in 1995); dividends, interest, and rent were 13.4 percent (compared with 18.6 in 1995); and personal current transfer receipts were 11.8 percent (compared with 13.1 in 1995). From 2004 to 2005 net earnings increased 8.3 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 9.1 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 8.0 percent. From 1995 to 2005 net earnings increased on average 6.7 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 2.3 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 4.6 percent.

### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in District of Columbia increased from \$62,288,157\* in 2004 to \$65,660,992\* in 2005, an increase of 5.4 percent. The 2004-2005 national change was 5.4 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1995 estimate of \$39,471,151\* to the 2005 estimate was 5.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 5.5 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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